UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS (EASTERN DIVISION)

Comcast of Georgia/Massachusetts, Inc.) Case No.: 04-cv-10414-RCL and Comcast of Middletown, Inc. and Comeast of Boston, Inc. and Comeast of AFFIDAVIT OF WILLIAM SCOTT California/ Massachusetts/ Michigan/Utah, JACOBS IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS' Inc. and Comcast of Maine/New) MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT Hampshire, Inc. and Comcast of) Massachusetts I, Inc. and Comcast of) Massachusetts II, Inc. and Comcast of Massachusetts III, Inc. and Comcast of Massachusetts/New Hampshire/Ohio, Inc. and Comcast of New Hampshire, Inc. Plaintiffs, VS. Joseph Amaro, Dimas Amaro, and Joseph Amaro and Dimas Amaro, Jointly d.b.a. **CABLEJOINT and D's Electronics Defendants**

Now comes the affiant, William Scott Jacobs. He makes this his sworn statement, under the pains and penalties of perjury and of his own personal knowledge:

- 1. I, William Scott Jacobs, am an employee of Comcast Cable Communications.
- 2. I am employed with Comcast Cable Communications as a Security Investigator.
- **3.** I am familiar with cable technology, descrambling methodology and black market technology.
- 4. In early June 2001, after receiving information from Comcast employees in Massachusetts, I took actions to initiate an interstate, Internet black box purchase from the web site that I understood was being operated by a Massachusetts individual known as Dimas Amaro;

- 5. I first created a Hotmail account, <u>BJACOBS123@HOTMAIL.COM</u>:
- 6. I also created a PAYPAL account utilizing a Hotmail address;
- 7. On June 4, 2001, I placed an Internet order for a black box from the web site www.cablejoint.net;
- 8. I utilized a MasterCard credit card with this PAYPAL account paying \$140.00 for the black box;
- 9. Payment was made to CABLEJOINT@YAHOO.COM;
- 10. The transaction details from the PAYPAL account evidenced a payment of \$140.00 to Dimas Amaro with an ID # of 0N952025B84648630;
- 11. I utilized the address of 34 Shunpike Road, Suit 3, Cromwell, CT 06416-2453, a "Mail Boxes Etc" facility for the requested delivery of the black box;
- 12. On June 20, 2001, a black box arrived at the Cromwell facility and I picked up the package;
- 13. The package contained a black box and certain peripherals items such as a remote-control but the package did not contain any so-called "disclaimer" documents;
- 14. The device I received was tested (see the affidavit of Paul Marmelo) and it was determined that the box in question was a non-addressable coaxial cable analog descrambling device, a so called "black box".
- 15. I have kept a verifiable chain of custody with reference to the black box and it is still in the possession of Comcast.

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Subscribed and sworn to, under the pains and penalties of perjury, this _____ JANUARY 26, 2006.